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Notice to Painters.
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the county clerk of Ripley county, Mo., until noon of May 21st, 1906, for the painting of the roof and outside woodwork of the court house, according to specification on file in the county clerk's office.
W. H. STROVE, County Clerk.
Doniphan, Mo., March 26, 1906. 20-11.

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The Democrat.

TELEPHONE NO. 20.

Local and Personal News.

W. A. Pearce returned last Saturday from a visit at St. Louis.

R. E. Lee is home from a visit at Piedmont and Greenville.

Tom Hall started on his return to New Doniphan yesterday noon.

Mrs. J. C. Sheppard returned Saturday from a visit with Judge Sheppard at the Bluff.

Pat Ryan and son Tom, who are now living in Arkansas, have been here this week visiting.

W. H. Horton came in Sunday evening from New Doniphan, Arkansas, to look after business matters here.

Judge J. C. Sheppard came home from the Bluff Wednesday, circuit court having adjourned, Tuesday, at the Bluff.

Miss Iris Armstrong, who has been here attending school during the past year, returned to her home at Naylor, Wednesday.

Odum & Co. feed on last Saturday, 124 different persons. Several persons took more than one meal but were only counted once.

Hon. Lafayette Crim, of Gatewood, was in town last Friday shaking hands with friends, and while here took in the Republican county convention.

Mrs. Brown and daughter, who have been here for some days visiting the family of her brother, T. F. Lane, returned to their home at Peach Orchard, Arkansas, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Pearce returned yesterday from her visit at St. Louis and Altonville, Cape county. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. A. W. Groves and children.

The Doniphan Lumber Company has a seven-column order of publication in a suit to quiet title to more than 100,000 acres of land in Cleburne county, Arkansas, in the last week's issue of the Heber Jacksonian, published at Heber.

W. W. Johnston returned Sunday from his trip into Old Mexico, where he went to look after some mineral claims owned by a company of citizens of this city. He found the prospect all right and that the company had some very good properties located.

Dr. S. A. Proctor returned Saturday last from his trip to St. Louis, where he went with John Ward, of Gatewood township, for the purpose of having an operation performed. The operation was successfully performed and Mr. Ward is getting along nicely.

The County Board of Equalization, sitting as a Board of Appeals, was in session Monday and Tuesday of this week hearing complaints of those who thought their property was appraised too high. But few changes were made from the original equalization, and most of the changes were made on account of errors.

Philip Unterberger and C. O. Borth left Saturday on their trip to New Orleans. They went from here to the Bluff from which place they expected to procure their tickets for the round trip, and will be gone about a week. Circuit clerk Will Mabrey and Court stenographer Clint Murray left Monday noon on the same trip, also going to the Bluff for a starting point.

W. H. Horton returned to New Doniphan Wednesday. While here he had the safes, office fixtures, and furniture for the sleeping rooms occupied by himself and son Ernest, in the office building here, loaded in cars and shipped there as their new store building is ready for occupancy. Quite a number of families, whose heads are now at work there, will leave here within the next month for that place, as houses will be provided for them by that time.

Rev. Clarence Burton and wife, Mrs. D. B. Young, Rev. E. E. Burton, wife and child, and David Mumpower left Monday noon for Campbell, Mo., to attend a meeting of the district conference of the M. E. church, south, which convenes there this week. Prof. Mumpower is down on the program for an address on the "Sunday School," on the "Missionary Department of the Epworth League," and on the "Delights of Matrimony for Young People," but what David knows on this subject, he being at this time a young bachelor, is beyond our comprehension.

David Jordan, the youngest son of Smith Jordan, an old and well known citizen of this county, who lives in the north part of this county, was brought here last Sunday by Constable Langhorn, of Jordan township, and placed in the county jail to await a hearing on an insanity charge. He was before Judge Young in the Probate court Tuesday and adjudged insane and will be taken to the Farmington asylum. Although an unmarried man his hallucination takes the form of a claim to be married to a young lady living near Grandin, and that he has one child. He also refuses to recognize his father and mother and denies his name. His age is about 28 years and he has been mentally afflicted for the past four or five months.

John Richmond has gone to St. Louis to work for the Laclede Gas and Light Company, in the office.

Attorney Theo. F. Lane returned yesterday from the Bluff where he had been for a week attending court.

Willis Ponder, an attorney of Clarksville, Tennessee, came in Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends in this county.

A gang of Italian laborers came in this morning to work on the right of way of the branch and load ties in the yard here.

Miss Lucille Arnold, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Burton, left Monday for her home at Benton.

A. Hutton, J. A. Foard and Mrs. Abbie Johnson were among the number that went to Campbell this week to attend the Methodist district conference.

W. H. Perkins, of Bennett, father of attorney Alf. Perkins, was here last week attending the Republican county convention. The old gentleman is as hearty and pleasant as ever.

Will Stancil, of the school teachers corps, has accepted the position of book-keeper with the A. Winklebleck Lbr. Co., at Kingbee, and has gone there to take charge of his job.

Dr. E. Dennis was in town Wednesday and reported a new boy at the home of James Martin, in Harris township, which the stork left there on the 21st instant, it being their first born.

Prof. L. E. Proffer and his Eighth grade class had a picnic last Saturday up the river at Worley's Rock. They had a great time and entertained as their guests Prof. and Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Wheelock, and Misses Eula Lawrence and Hazel Elkins.

Mrs. Tippi Haggard and Miss Maud Marshall, who have been here from their home at Kennett visiting their mother, Aunt Sallie White, returned to their home Tuesday. Mrs. Haggard was quite poorly when she came here a few weeks ago, but was very much better when she started home.

Since attorney Charlie and assistant P. M. John Fred, have sort of struck out for themselves Uncle Dick Borth has become kinder sorter lonesome like and recently invited the stork to come and see him, and this morning, while passing over the city, the handsome bird stopped long enough to leave a nice, new, ten pound boy as an answer to the invitation. Everybody is doing nicely, and the whole outfit is as proud of the new boy as the little boys used to be with a new pair of red-top boots, back in the days when they made such things.

The Eighth grade class of the public schools gave their graduating exercises in the way of a very entertaining program at the court house last Friday night, on the occasion of the close of the term. An excellent program, that had been carefully prepared, was rendered, and Mr. Emmett Williams, an attorney of Fredericktown, delivered the address, which was lengthy but interesting. The pantomime of "The Holy City" was a beautiful rendition, by young lady members of the class. There were twenty-nine members of the class, and their work during the term has been of the highest grade. Miss Alma Borth and Miss Iris Armstrong carried the class honors. President W. C. S. Lackey presented the diplomas that entitled each member of the class to enter the high school next year.

Uncle Charlie White broke into "poetry" again last week, after seeing what the Republican had to say about him painting things red over at Williamsville, and the long string of verbiage penned by some one who was suffering with constipation of the brain and diarrhoea of words, and he comes back as follows, to-wit, viz:—
The editor of the Republican seems like a very inquisitive man;
Now I'm only judging by what he said about my painting the houses red.
But I don't care very much for what he said,
For I guess he would like to have his paper "red,"
As that is the color of his own selection,
And will be, I guess, until after the election.
He then may have to change his mind,
On account of being color blind;
With the Democrats so far ahead,
That he, himself, will turn "red."
Although he will wear a "vermillion" hue,
And at the same time feel awful "blue."
So blue, in fact, that he will not want to be seen,
For having acted so confoundedly "green."

For trying to make the people believe, He had something good up his sleeve. We do not think the "result" will make us the least bit nervous, Nor do we think that it can hardly disturb us. It will only cause people to wonder and wonder. Where he got such a vast quantity of "poetical" thunder; And I tell you it must be sublime, To get so much "poetry" for just half a dime. I'm afraid it will cause other "poets" to come to a halt, For well they know that at such prices they can't make their salt. For such foolish carelessness beats creation all to smother. And I would not have it happen again—not for thirty cents in cash.

Feeble persons have found the use of Speed's Port Wine and Burgundy a superior medicine because it is the best restorative and blood maker. Nothing equals it for old people.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Week ending April 20, 1906.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.—FIRST GRADE.
Total enrollment for the year 107.

Lulu Brooks, Mabel Foard and Oran O'Neal were present every day this year.

Eleven tardies from September 4 to December 11. Everyone on time since then.

Mary Borth, Ada Clarke and Mabel Foard have general averages of V. G. for the year.

The First and Second grades rendered a short program Friday. Several visitors were present.

Those who missed less than five days are Dewey Blake, Guy Cunningham, Michel Samuels, Dorothy Brooks, Ruth Pulliam, Irene and Emma Rouse.

SECOND GRADE.

Attendance fine.

Very few failures.

Both "A" and "B" classes read eight books during the entire term.

Nine tardies for the year. The best record ever made by this grade.

Several pupils were promoted from "B" class Second grade to "A" class Third grade.

The last of school was spent with as much interest as the beginning. Each pupil seemed to be filled with interest and enthusiasm.

We have some excellent work started in agriculture which we hope to complete by meeting with the pupils of other grades each Wednesday afternoon to do the work required.

We feel safe in saying that Friday closed a very successful term of school enjoyed by the teacher and pupils, and we wish to kindly thank the Board and Superintendent Carter for the books and useful articles which they have furnished us.

THIRD GRADE.

The Third grade had only four tardies during the year.

Ralph Redwine, Maude and Mary Elkins were perfect in attendance during the entire term.

Friday closed one of the most pleasant and successful years of our experience and it made us sad to say adieu to each other.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—FIFTH GRADE.

Only a few tardies. This is doubtless the best record this grade has ever made as there was not a tardy up to Christmas.

Those who did not miss a day during the year are Mamie Harmon, Mabel Ponder, Roy Cable, Frank Simpson and Versa Elkins.

The literary exercises of the Fifth and Sixth grades, held at the court house last Thursday afternoon, were well attended.

There were more promotions from this grade this year than usual, there being only two who did not make a passing grade, and those failed because of irregular attendance.

We have had by far the best average attendance of any year during the past five years, not having dropped below 94 in any month, and most of the months reaching 97. Regular attendance means much toward successful school work.

SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADES.

Sixth grade: Six tardies, all of which were made by the girls.

Seventh grade: Fourteen tardies.

The Sixth grade boys have as a true motto: "Each and every day the last month and on time every day for eight months."

The highest average grades for the year were made by Fay Gary and Etta Cox in the Sixth grade, and Minnie Nettleton and Mary Lee in Seventh grade.

Those in the Sixth grade who have been present every day during the entire eight months are Sam Danner, Earl Spell, Randolph Barrett, Ora Liven-sparger and Bertha Powers.

Franklin and Bunker Hill are the names of the literary societies. Programs worthy of mention: Thanksgiving program, Sixth grade entertained Fifth grade; Longfellow program, and "In and Out" program.

On September 4, 1905, there appeared in Room 4 the bright faces of 72 pupils, who were to work out completely the mysteries of either the Sixth or Seventh grades. Now it happens that this very room was intended for only fifty-six pupils. One can imagine the crowded condition. After a few days it was decided to hold half-day sessions, and that each pupil should prepare his lessons at home. Thus the work was continued. We feel that we have been working under difficulties, but our united efforts, together with the co-operation of the parents has made possible our success.

EIGHTH GRADE.

No footsteps backward.

Commencement was decided success.

The High school will no doubt appreciate our stage.

Violet and white may be the Freshman colors next year. They are winners.

Iris Armstrong, of Naylor, whose yearly average was 94.5, was awarded valedictory honors.

Ed Hoffman has decided to come back to High school next year, since hearing Mr. Williams' address.

Fern Lawrence and Alma Borth have put in considerable time in copying records, for which they have our thanks.

Good faries in the form of ambitious boys and innocent girls furnished lamps, curtains, rugs, flowers, and everything.

Ed. Cox is largely responsible for the success of the entertainment, Friday evening. Ed. does not do things by halves. He will scale the heights.

Mr. Edwards, who was formerly stenographer at the University of Michigan, compliments the commencement program and especially the pantomime.

One representative citizen says: "That commencement program was the best the school has ever given." Mr. Williams says, "That pantomime was the best I ever saw."

Our thanks are hereby tendered Mrs. Mabel Wheelock, Miss Hazel Elkins, Mrs. Ora Gould, Miss Eula Lawrence, Mr. Lackey, Mr. Emmett Williams, Mr. Irl Foard, Bros. Burton and Hutton. "Money can be repaid; not kindness such as yours."

Echoes from the picnic:—
That baby's drowned.
Miss Eula took the cake.
Frank and Eli aren't here.
Where did Ed. get that bonnet?
Mr. Carter hasn't had anything to eat.
Milburn Moore is an automatic pilot and propeller at the same time.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL COMMENT.

The best is yet to be.

In nearly every case pupils failed because of low class grades.

The Eighth grade class of 1907 expected to beat the class of '06. And they will.

We would show our gratitude to the management of the Baptist and Methodist churches for courtesies recently shown.

The World's examination questions as put by Mr. Williams are:—(1) What do you know? (2) What can you do? (3) What are you?

The Fifth and Sixth grades gave a well planned and well attended little entertainment at the Court house Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Hudson and Miss Cotton directed the program.

Twenty-nine graduates in this department as compared with twenty-nine last year. But the average age and weight of this class is less than that of last year. A good indication.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Spirit good.

Two tardies in the last five weeks.

Hear Hon. Walter Williams May 26, 1906.

Baccalaureate sermon Sunday, May 27, 1906.

Let us have no tardies for the last month of the High school.

Attendance for the month ending April 20th, Freshman, 94.5; Sophomore, 98.3; Junior, 95; Senior, 100.

The Junior's organized last week: President, Anna Mabrey; vice-president, Jessie Dick; secretary, James Foard; treasurer, Russell Elkins.

Class colors: Seniors, old gold and black; Juniors, old gold and purple; Sophomores, old gold and white; Freshmen, garnet and white.

GENERAL COMMENTS.

"What we will be to-morrow we are to-day becoming."—Lowery.

There was a great display of "color" Friday night, April 20th, 1906.

Honor is due the Sixth grade boys for passing the year without tardies.

The tardies for the year were few in comparison with the number of pupils.

General motto of the Doniphan schools: "Onward, and upward every day."

The teachers feel that the year closing is one of the most pleasant they ever spent.

The pupils of the Doniphan schools stand for punctuality and regularity of attendance.

In every case of promotion or retention the pupil's best interests have been considered.

The primary pupils and teachers are doing some excellent work on their school grounds.

Mr. Proffer, principal of the Grammar department, will attend the University at Columbia this summer.

Hon. W. T. Carrington will attend the "Grand Rally" at Doniphan, May 19th, 1906. Everybody will want to hear him.

One of the finest commencement orators in Missouri is Hon. Walter Williams, of Columbia. He visits Doniphan, May 26, 1906.

Provision has been made to give the scholarship examination to rural graduates Saturday, May 5, 1906. Mr. Foard will announce places.

If the pupils of the Doniphan schools have become wiser and better because of this year's work, the teachers feel that they have been in a measure successful.

After a year well spent the pupils of the grades will now turn their attention to vacation's work and pleasure. May every one spend a pleasant and happy summer and return to school in September for the best year's work he has ever done.

The Eighth grade entertainment Friday night was a success in every way. Mr. Proffer, Mrs. Wheelock, and others who helped on the program deserve great credit for the splendid showing of the pupils. Mr. Williams' address, the "High School as a Preparation for the World's Examination" was excellent and inspiring.

Comparison of eight grades:—
Year 1904-5. Year 1905-6.
No attending every day... 20 35
No. absent 5 or more days... 382 285
No. tardies... 297 86
Truancy... 42 12
Comparison:—April, 1906, April, 1905.
No. absent 5 or more days... 47 19
Tardies... 15 11
No. attending every day... 158 229

R. B. Buffington and Claud Anglin, the latter a young tough who came here last fall with the balloon man, and who last week were up in the Mayor's court for disturbing the peace, and fined \$10 and costs each, being put to work on the streets to work it out, gave leg ball after a few days attempt at work, and have since not been seen. If they will stay away the town will be well rid of them, especially of young Anglin.

WANTED—A good saddle horse; or a pair of good driving horses.
DR. J. T. REDWINE.

If you want to see how your goods will look after dyeing with Putnam Fadeless Dyes, send a small sample to the Monroe Drug Co., Unionville, Mo., stating color you wish, and same will be dyed with Putnam Fadeless Dyes free and returned to you so you can see just how your goods will look when dyed. Ask your dealer.

I. O. O. F.

Each and every member of Current River Lodge No. 541 I. O. O. F. are hereby requested to be present at the Odd Fellows Hall Sunday, April 29th, at 1:30 p. m. for the purpose of appropriately celebrating the eighty-seventh anniversary of our beloved order.

By order of the Lodge.

A. Y. MOORE, Sec'y.

L. T. L. Announcement.

The Loyal Temperance Legion will be reorganized at the Baptist church, Saturday April 28, at 3 p. m. by Mrs. Bettie Hudson, Supt. We trust all old members will be present and bring new ones with them. The pledge they are asked to take is,

I promise not to buy, drink, or give, Alcoholic liquors while I live, From all tobacco I'll abstain, And never take God's name in vain.
MRS. LILLIE MILES,
Supt. Press Work.

Thaxton-Wells.

Last Sunday afternoon, Mr. J. D. Wells, of this city, and Miss Willie Thaxton, of Bennett, Mo., were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thaxton.

The bride is a beautiful young lady, loved and admired by all who know her. On account of her extraordinary accomplishments she was regarded as one of the leading lady teachers of Ripley county. Mr. Wells is well known as one of Randolph county's best young men. He has been, for the past two years, assistant cashier of the Randolph County Bank, which position he will continue to hold. Mr. and Mrs. Wells will be at home to their friends in one of the W. H. Waddle houses on the north side, which was fitted and furnished for the bride by Mr. Wells several days ago. Here we leave them to enjoy a life of unalloyed happiness and prosperity the wishes for which have been extended them by numberless friends.—Peachontas Star.

Both the bride and groom of this interesting event are well known here as both attended school here several terms, and their many friends will join in wishing them much happiness and success.

Belleview.

(BY ROBERT D.)

Corn planting is the order of the day. Born to Mrs. and Mrs. Henry Fairfield, a baby girl on the 23d instant.

Ed. Ponder has his new house near completion, and has moved into it.

Joe Foulk moved on to Mr. Truby's place last week and will crop there this year.

Quite a crowd of young people attended a party at Mr. Sloan's, last Tuesday night.

Charley Fagan came up from Naylor, Saturday evening and was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. H. F. Tucker, of Leora, Mo., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Fairfield.

Some of our young people attended a baptizing on Harris creek Sunday, near the Poe school house.

Rev. V. A. Bell will preach at Amity, on Saturday night before the first Sunday in May. Also on Sunday.